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REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

GERMANY REJECTS REPARATION TERMS.

Allied Scheme Considered Impossible.

Berlin, February 1 The statement by the Foreign-Minister, Herr von-Simons, in the Reichstag today, is awaited most excitedly.

Yesterday's Cabi let meeting was summond to consider the Allied Notes embotying the decisions of the Paris Conference. lusted till a late hour, after which it was reported that Herr von Simons had resigned, but to-day it is believed he will retain office.

According to the Boersen Z. itung, Herr von Simons will tell the Reichstag that Germany cannot accept the Allied dem. ids, because they are impracticable. He will explain the German Government's ides of a settlement and declare that the invitation to the London Conference on February 28 will only be useful if it deals with what is possible, not impossible.

It is rumoured that negotiations are proceeding to induce the Majority Socialists and the German Nationals to enter the Government in the hope of creating a united front.

The Decision.

Later. The German Government has rejected the reparations terms.

A Refusal to Negotiate.

Berlin, February 1. of the Entente's reparations decisions in Paris by saying "not having yet received any invitation to the London Conference, the German Government can neither refuse noracree to participate beans. therein, but it declares now, and at once, that it refuses to negotiate on the basis of the decisions of the Entente and intends to put forward counter-proposals."

Reichstag members attended in large numbers, but a few assembled outside to learn the decision.

Herr von Simons, after a brief historical review, expressed the greatest surprise at the abrupt abandoment of the Seydoux scheme (Serdoux is the French delegate on the Brussels Conference of Figancial and Economic Experts), which, he said, was supported by both the British and French representatives.

difficult negotiations. He declared that the Government would ranging from £150 to £200 per cottage. The Board of Agriculture previous year. The average daily will proceed to the University in who supported us. loyally carry out its obligations as regards disarmament and com- will also detray the cost of transit of the materials, strimated at attendance throughout the year due course. municate with the various State Governments on the subject. He £40 per house. Building must be completed within the perfed was 580 being 29 less than during Athletics:—There has been Old Boys Association is now an then discoursed lengthily as regards reparations.

Herr von Simons uttered a warning against the "superstition" that more was obtainable from the German people by dictation than ] by negotiations. Following the exact words of his declaration mentioned earlier, he said: - "It is impossible to regard the Entente reparation proposals as a basis of negotiations. It will, however, be our duty, despite great difficulties, to make every effort to put forward clear counter-proposals."

ALTERED POSITION OF THE COAL MARKET.

Government Decides Upon de-Control.

London, February 2. In view of the increased output and the slacketted hot edemand and the fact that export prices are now approximately the same as home prices, the Government has decided to de-control coal from the lat of March. All restrictions as regards pit head prints for distribution in the United Kingdom are abolished. The position is unchanged as regards foreign bunkers and exports, which are freely allowed subject to one slight restriction.

Practically all Restrictions Removed.

The de-control of the price of coal is obviously a step towardgiving effect to the Government's declared policy of releasing; industry from bureaucratic control astanon as possible. Control was originally imposed to guard against a shortage of infand supplies in consequence of the very high export prices. The latter have now descended to the same or even to a lower level than controlled ! maximum home prices: The new order removes the prohibition on collièries from only supplying specified districts. Experts are: uncertain of the effects of de-control, but they confidently anticipate! that the price of the poorer qualities will fall, owing to the large available supplies. The price of the higher grades may increase somewhat. The only remaining restriction on export is that the district coal committees must be satisfied that there is no shortage for inland use.

HINDUS AND SIKH HEROES.

Prince of Wales Unveils in Memorial.

London, February 2. The Prince of Wales was welcomed by cheering thousands at Brighton as he motored to Patcham Downs where he unveiled a memorial to the Aindus and Sikhs who perished in the war. In a speech H.R.H. said that in the ordinary course of events he should now have been in India. Perhaps next year he might meet and speak with Indians who had been cared for at Brighton.

FIRST MILITARY EXECUTION IN IRELAND.

Farmer Shot for Possessing Loaded Arms.

London, February 2. The first execution under martial-law in Ireland was carried out to-day, when a Kerry farmer condemned for uniawful possession of a loaded revolver was duly shot at Cork.

PATHER DOMINIC'S SENTENCE.

London, February 1. Father Dominic will be imprisoned at Wormwood Scrubbs.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

"WESTERN TO THE FINGER-TIPS.

Eulogy of Mrs. Wellington Koo.

London, February The Daily Express, in an article, eulogises the charms of Mrs. Wellington Koo, whom it describes as "Western to the frager-tips", when opportunity was also taken She is always dressed in the lates: Paris creations and no society of unveiling a portrait in oils prefunction is complete without her and her sister, Countess Kan. Both aisters drive their own grey-painted two-seaters through the College, of which he was London traffic. She is a great art collector and theatre-goer, while an old pupil. At the same het keen interest in world politics is evidenced by her frequent function, His Excellency also Of those la passed in the Matriappearance in the Ladies' Gallery in the House of Commons. She made the interesting announceshould greatly assist her husband, who is the new Chinese Ambassador to London.

THE INGREDIENTS OF CHINESE FLOUR.

Satisfactory Analysis by the Wheat Commission.

London, February 2. In reference to the nervousness aroused by the use of a small percentage of Chinese flour in the manufacture of bread as the result of two samples taken at random, the Wheat Commission's analytical examination is distinctly reasoning. Of the constituents To per cent. consists of murilage, sugar and digestible carbohydrates, In the Reichstag. Herr von Simons concluded a long criticism 9 per cent., albuminous compounds, 13 per cent., while moisture, fibre and mineral matter represents small fractional percentage. Both samples are certified free from chestnuts, peanutsand, soys

BETTERMENT OF THE HIGHLAND CROFTER.

Combined Scheme of Subsidies and Loans.

London, February 2.

Better housing conditions for the Highland crofter are promised Herr won Simons defended the Government against the reproach as the result of new scheme of financial assistance combining a of scholars enrolled during the September last, while the re- the old boys who generously of not having advanced proposals. He recalled his own proposals subsidy to the crofter by the Scottish Board of Health ranging from year ending December 31st, 1920; mainder are preparing for the gave their services, the Lai Hoo at Spa and described the Entente Note as the hasty out-one of £100 to £130 and loans by the Scottish Board of Agriculture was 962-177 less than in the Matriculation Examination, and Band and the numerous patrons applicable to the private builders" sucsidy-namely, December 1919. These reductions are due great activity this years regards established body and has already

AMERICA AND JAPAN.

A Problem for the Harding Government.

Washington, February 1. State Department officials state that the Japan-American regotiations will have to be left to the Harding Administration for complete solution, as the longstanding question will require more time than remains to the present Government.

U.S. NAVAL CONSTRUCTION.

What a Suspension Would Mean.

Washington, February 1. Giving evidence before the Senate Naval Committee, Admiral Counts declared that a six months suspension of shippuilding operations would involve the Government in at least ten million tollars extra expenditure in compensating contractors.

> APPROACHING INAUGURATION OF NEW PRESIDENT.

Washington, February 2. President-elect Harding has requested President Wilson to cal a special Session of the Senate on March 4 for his Inauguration, in Douglass " Laing as Head won the team race at accordance with custom.

THE UNREST IN INDIA.

Students and Non-Co-operation.

Bombay, February 1. Non-Co-operation propagands is intensulying in Bombay, 750 held in Budree Wills and proved art of self-defence is not as attention should be paid to students leaving college. Two schools are in the Non-Co-operative a great success. This is the 3rd popular as it promised to be at collegeral. English. There are movement of which one advises the students to engage in propagabda in the villages, whilst the other seeks to start a National College immediately.

Millhands Resume.

Bombay, February L. The Mo incor millhands have resumed work.

I Erom Our Own Correspondent.)

H.M.S. MALAYA."

Singapore, February L, H.M.S. Malaya's officers and men were welcomed at an official tiffin by His Ercellency Sir L. Guillemard. Captain Buller replied. The sporting and social functions arranged passed off most success-

(Other Telegrams on Page 2.)

QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

H.E. the Governor

His Excellency the Governor presided at the annual prize giving in connection Queen's College this morning, sented by Sir Robert Ho Tung to that Sir Robert has just present ed \$100,000 to the Engineering Department of the University as a donation, thus bringing up the constions he had made towards 76 were entered for the Junior; 8 Coronet Theatre-5.15 and 9.15 that institution to an aggregate

dais of the Hall-were Hop. Dr. in the Junior of whom? obtained Claud Severn, C. M.G., Sir Robert distintions. and Lady Ho Tung, Captain H.S. Pupil Teachers :- In January, p.m. McGrath, (His Excellency's 1920, six Pupil Teachers were oth. 3.

THE REPORT.

Attendance.—The total number as Teachers in Training to 3rd classes being formed in football. In the Inter-class had 2 meetings. We have very

firing and enthusiam which was energy in supervising the thing is now working smoothly together present and

Vernacular Teacher. Wei Tat. He was succeeded by met with marked success. Prefect. Laing always played Lusitano sports and at with him did the same. He the Chater Cup for the Senior Mr. Fletcher. has just left us for the University Team Race and also the Senior and his place has been taken by Championship. We have taken a very prosperous year and has In Tak-che ik and I have no up boxing and the doubt that he will carry on the known Mr. Kid Mar-say there is no room for improvehigh traditions handed down to riott says we have some very him. A Prefects dinner was promising material. The noble attention, I may say, for greater

school year shall end in January of hard work. A Chinese Box- Chinese study their own language or just before Chinese New Year ing Class has lately been started entirely from written characters instead of in July. This means and about 60 boys have joined it, and they do not realise the imthat all get an extra 4 We entered for a Basket-ball portance of trying to speak months-September to De-League and were 3rd out of 5 English correctly. It is difficult. comber—to study for their teams—Last month we defeated to make them understand as examinations. We hope and a strong team from Canton. Browning says: It were better expect to see correspondingly Library.—The Library and necouth towards making—than better results. This change is reading room continue to ancouth towards making—than beneficial partly because it is be of great service, especially repose on ought found made." easier to work in the winter and to the Upper partly because Chinese New Periodicals Year is the natural termination papers are widely used. of the year for the Chineso. new catalogue, is the result of 2 think that the high road to Owing to lack of staff, Queen's years hard work by the Librarian. knowledge is a weary iteration of College was unable to accept all Mr. Handyside, ably assisted by their reading and other books the boys who wished to enter from the prefects. the top classes of the district Q. C. A. D. A. Theatrical perschools. Accordingly 3rd classes formances were beld in the Colwere formed in E.K.S., S.Y.P. and lege Hall on 22ad, 23id, and 24th W.T. On the last of December December. The newsted plays

with Mr. Hamilton from S.Y.P. The 3rd class from E.E.S. will be transferred here next term.

Health of School.-Dr. Valentine bas examined 455 boys. 70 Distributes Prizes: boys or 184% required speciacles, 128 boys or 28 1% required attention to teeth. Dr. Valentine reported that the teeth on the perature: 61. Humidity: 85. whole were very good. Although a big percentage required attention, it was in imany cases quite

Studies: -- In July 21 boys were entered for the Matriculation examination of the University. culation examination and I in the Senior Locals. One boy gained the President's Scholarship wit. Honours. One boy gained Theatre Royal - Denniston Honours. Three boys gained Players present "She Walked in Canton Government Scholarships. Her Sleep "-9.15 p.m.

were absent and 50 passed of p.m. of well over a quarter of a million whom 15 gained distinctions. In Hongkong Theatre-5.15, 7.15 the December examination 1 boy and 9.15 p.m. Supporting the Governor on the passed in the Matriculation and 9

A.D.C.), Hon. Mr. E.A. Irving promoted to Grade V Assistant, and 9.15 p.m. (Director of Education), Mr. E. ship and 9 English Pupil Ralphs [Inspector of English Teachers were appointed, bring-Schools), Professor Middleton ing up the total to 15. An Smith, Professor Jordan, Mr. innovation was the appoint Sisters" and "The Two Detec-Teesdale Mackintosh, and am ment of 10 Vernacular Pupil tives. Large houses were present ongst the large attendance of Teachers who were given a special on each occasion and the sum of visitors present were Lt-Col. course in Chinese, with the object \$1,958.00 and one gold ring were Bowen, Captain Mills, Mr. Ho of training as Vernacular Masters obtained thereby. The ring sub-Kwong, Mr. Silva Netto and Later in the year, however, it was sequently realised \$30. The considered better that all Pubil money was divided between the Teachers should be trained at the Northern Femine Relief fund and University in future; accordingly the Tung Pak War Distress fund. The Headmaster (Mr. R. E. O. those who were able to Mr. Kong was chiefly re-

Bird) read the report as follows :- matriculate entered the University sponsible for this conspicuous E. K. S., S. Y. P. and W. T. as Competition every class except many distinguished old boys who there was not sufficient staff at Commercial I, entered a team, have always taken a deep in-Q. C. to take these classes in. making 19 in all, that lerest in Q. C. and who have, Staff.—The changes on the staff is there were more than 200 boys given us a very generous support

have not been as numerous as actually taking part in the games, on all occasions. Among the most usual. Mr. de Rome returned We entered a team for each of prominent of these is Sir Robert rom leave in March and Mr. Kay the 3 leagues but did not occupy Ho Tung whose protrait is soon left for England during the same 1st place in any of them. How- to be unveiled by His Excellency. month. Mr. Edwards also went over the taining in physique and It is hoped that this Association. on leave in March and has lately esprit de corps were invaluable. Will maintain and strengthen the returned. Mr. Tanner left for Special mention must be made of good feelings that have always England on October 20th. His Douglas Laing who was always existed between Q. C. and its leparture was the signal for a willing to lend a helping hand, old boys. I trust that it will remarkable display of cracker. The Masters spent much time and have a long and useful career in loquent testimony of the ap provements on the ground and it support from the old boys that it preciation of the boys of the great is now in very good corditon. We certainly deserves. interes: he has always taken in have an inter class competition their welfare. I took up my in Volley Ball which gives practice duties here on October 29th. The to a very wide number of players in June when a special an-Vernacular studies have been as the game requires 12 a side, niversary number of 64 pages carried on successfully and - very- In tennis, the Ralston Cup brings under the efficient supervision pupils in friendly competition, tained a history of Q.C. an article of Mr. Sung Hok-pang, Senior Swimming parties are taken out every week in the summer. There Discipline:-The discipline of were also several all day excurthe school has been very satistions. In our annual Aquatic factory. The school Prefects Sports we were successful in circulation sverages 800 copies have worked well and the tone of retaining against strong opthe school has every appearance position, the Coronation Shield, finds its way of being thoroughly sound. The open to teams from all schools 5 continents. The new O.B.A. Prefect's Medal is awarded to in the Colony. In running we promises to help the circulation the game and saw to it Joseph's College Sport. At the Boys. During the past year it has that these who were working Hongkong Schools sports we won been under the able editorship of

Annual Prefects' Dinner. one time but the class has met several reasons for this weakness. Organisation: The chief change with great regularity twice has been the decision that the week and has put in quite a lot work along steresty ped lines. The

the 3rd classes of S.Y.P. and W. were the Merchant of Venice" T. were transferred to Q C. along in Chinese, The Two Half-

TO-DAYS EXCHANGE. The closing rate of the dollar on

THE WEATHER.

demand, to-day was 2s. 616d.

2 p.m. Barometer: - 23 83. Terr-

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To-morrow.

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success. We have also to thank

Old Boys Association.—The im. front of it and will meet with the

The Yellow Dragon :- The Yellow Dragon attained its majority with a new cover, designed by past Mr. Crook, was issued. It conby Dr. Bateson Wright who was Head Master when the Y. D. first saw the light of day and Inumerous illustrations. The month. The magazine

into the We of the Magazine considerably We the hope to derote a page or more regularly to the doings of our Old

General:-The school has had well done very good work. I will not ment. I think there, greater There is too much of a tendency, to Classes. The words repose on ought, and illustrated found made are, I fear, only too The applicable to those students, who

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#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

#### AMERICA'S FINANCIAL PLANS.

London, Feb. 1. Mr. W. H. Booth, Vice-President of the New York Guaranty Trust, interviewed in London said the American plans for the reconstruction of Europe were based on the expection of shorter period German indemnity payments and in view of the Paris settlement must now be changed. Credits to European nations must be extended to enable them to pay without strain. Another effect of the Paris Conference would be adjustment of the American tariff schedules. The reasons were that the protective tariffs had last much of their force, but America must be protected against dumping, while new markets must be found by following the British plan of supporting development of new countries. The formation . The Foreign Trade Financing the course of an address said Corporation, which was just issued in New York with capital stock | that in a Conference of that kind I of a value of twenty-five millions sterling, was the first big step in it was very difficult to lay down ] extending foreign credit. The special law whereunder it was organis- propositions that would help I ed would permit of the issue of debentures to ten times its capital, railwaymen in their particular which would be sold in small denominations to individual investors in the United States. The debentures were based on collateral, engendered by bang abroad for extended periods.

He pointed out that China was greatly increasing manufacturing brotherhood. If the workers of the trible the tribe to the china was greatly increasing manufacturing brotherhood. position and expressed the spinion that laneashire particularly would the world had known each other be faced with strenuous competition there. He declared the Ameri- hetter before 1914 they would rans did not feared trouble in the Pacific. They were confidently ex- rot have passed through the pected that the good judgment of the statesmen of the United States | petiod | which and Japan would work outthe differences which at worst were not experienced. Whoever was reessentially fundamental.

#### REVIVING TRADE.

London, Feb. 1. Mr. Kelleway, M.P., speaking at Preston, said he was hopeful that trade recovery would not now be long delayed. Foreign markets had been glutted with dear goods, but these were being steadily disposed of. The world's hunger for supplies was unsatisfied and was certain to become more urgent. Hence overproduction was not an svil. as was sometimes suggested, but production at prices which people were unable to pay. A great danger was the policy of "ca' canny," which meant high wages and low production, making prices prohibitive.

Signs of the trade tide turning are indicated in the news that, working classes said now that I a number of steel furnaces in Wales have restarted. From Washington | the war was over the first amends | 1 tomes news that the monthly statement of the Federal Reserve Board they could make was reconciliasays that some plants employing many hands have resumed whole tion and the healing of the or part time running. A distinct improvement is reported in some kounds which unfortunately had branches of the textile industry, while preparations to put the financing of exports on a more satisfactory base have laid the foundations for improvement of the whole export trade.

Melbourne, Feb. 1.

Mr. Hughes in a speech dealed that Australia was depressed. He said the heavy export of primary products and increase in deposits in the Banks showed that Australia was one of the most prosperous countries in the world.

Ottawa, Feb. 1. The Customs receipts of Canada have increased by seven million dollars in ten months.

#### A GREAT CONTRACT.

London, Feb. 1.

Armstrong and Whitworth's have entered into an agreement with the Russian Trade Delegation for the repair of practically the whole of Russia's locomotives. The commencement of the work depends on the ratification of the Anglo-Russian trade agreement. Unquestionably it is a great contract and should employ hundreds of men.

#### CHINA FAMINE RELIEF.

London, Feb. 1.

The subscriptions received by the Hongkong-Shanghai Bank in London on account of the China Relief Fund now total E!6,896, including 2105 from the Chinese Central Railways.

#### INDIAN STRIKES.

Bombay, Feb. 1. Uncasiness continues with regard to the situation in the mill area. Employes of the weaving department of the Century Mill struck for the purpose of bluffing the 700 per cent, the cost of living for higher wares. The strike at Kohinoor Mill continues.

RICE CONTROL ABOLISHED.

Bangkok, Feb. 1.

#### RESTIVE RAILWAYMEN.

The said the

#### Mr. Thomas on a Coming big Struggle.

Representatives of 1.357,000 railway workers in Great Britain, T France, Belgium, Germany, Hol- 4 land , Luxemburg, Sweden, Den- I mark, and Austria, mer at the t Memorial Hall, Farringdan Street, London recently.

Mr. Robert Williams, President of the International Transport Workers' Federation, presided 1 at the opening of the Conference. Mr. J. H. Thomas, M. P., in countries, but the importance he attached to that Conference was that in it they once more realised the need of international

sponsible for the war, it was not ! the working classes in any country; but because of the ignorance of the workers of treir comranes in other countries their | opponents had been able to take advantage of their inisunderstandlings, and allowed one worker to light another. Therefore, he believed that one certain result of the war was the determination of the working classes in all countries not to allow themselves to be exploited any more. Only a few years ago all the bitter batred, passion, and prejudice that the Press would or could work up 1 was worked up in connection i with our late enemies. But the ] been inflicted. And it was in that spirit that the visiting delegates were welcomed.

BIG PIGHT IN A FEW MONTHS.

"It is perfectly true." Mr. Thomas continued, "that we have struggle yet ahead I believe that Hay Fever, etc. there will be a big fight in the The fight will take plate over new stand that we as railway men are going to make, and I hope our foreign comrades will clearly understand in advance what our intentions are. We have fought is hours and wages, and we have succeeded in reducing our hours and increasing our wages. But we still believe that the workers' part in life cught not to be merely that Labour was realising its summed up the position in the we can contribute something to ternational. (Applause.) efficient railway management. We believe that the railwaymen! can by their experience do much, the consideration of the uni-" to relp to improve our transport versal application of the eight the Peace Treaty, but to trust system. We believe, where there bours working day. side, that it would be better if we out that the principle had been knew all about them. But we established by the Peace Treaty dry. Only a few years ago rail- grees, and said that it was essen-· business, was merely to do what be taken up by the Conference. " private employment after having by saying that the Government a that German workers were detersee too that it was not camouilage. Germany had advanced 600 to tion. public. Thope our Government 1200 per cent. while railway this matter the railwaymen of our determined." That Conference, twelve times up in Austria it had Mr. Thomas concluded, was a ladvanced 120 times. symbol of the growing spirit of Mr. Thomas, speaking at Unity solidarity and a demonstration to House after the adjournment on those who had brought the the operation of the eight hours world to its present position working day in Great Britain, the Ministry of the Interior.

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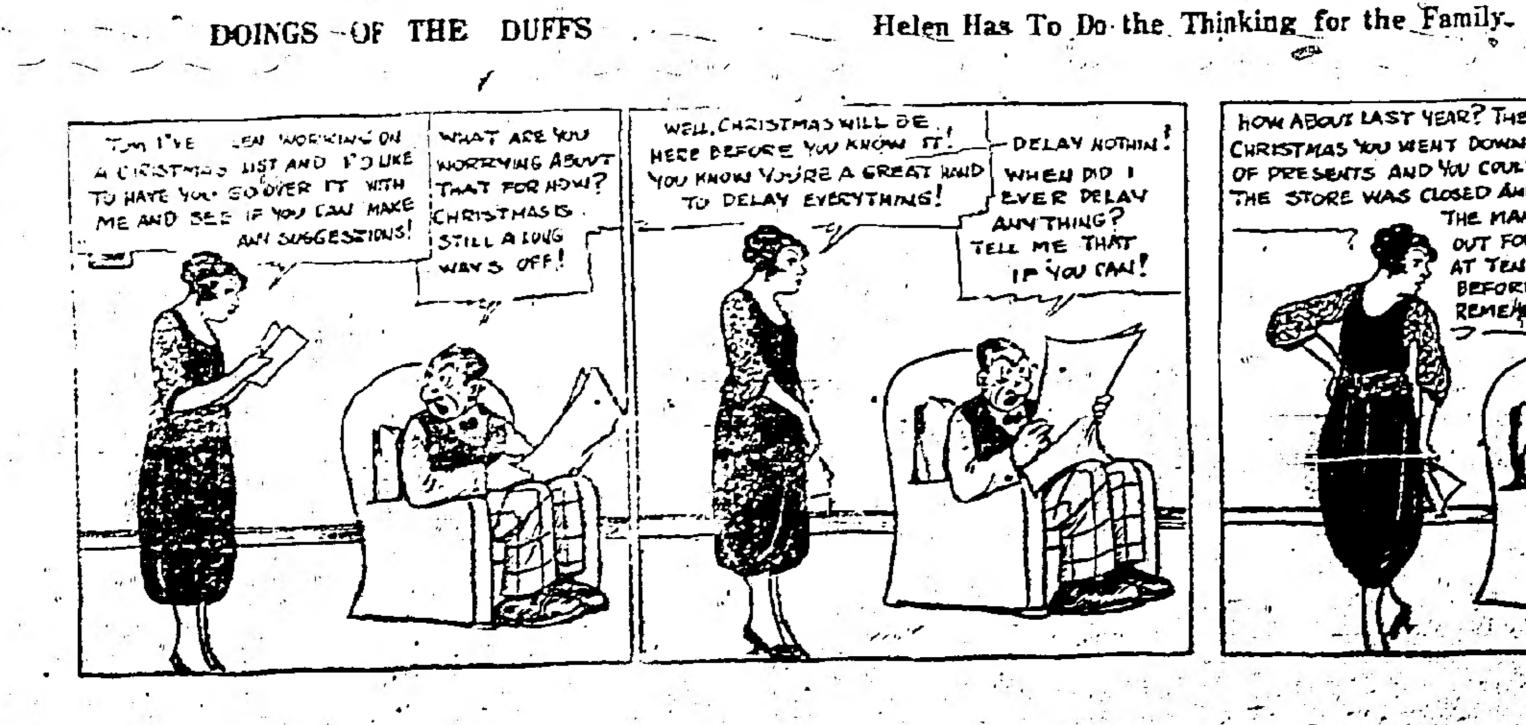
will maintain the eight hours day. notat the will of the Government. but by the power and strength of our right hand. He asked the Conference not to pin its faith to rather in their own power. He are problems on the management M. Bidigaray (France) pointed summarised the decision of the Conference in a resolution which was carried affirming their beare denied that opportunity to- and the Washington Labour Con- lief in the principle of the eighthours day, deprecating the action way companies said that our tial that some standpoint should of any railway employee taking we were told. We answered that Herr Scheffel (Germany) said completed his railway service. welcoming the fact that the eight isw months ago indicated in their mined to uphold the new working fours was now almost universally White Paper that they realised conditions gained as an outcome applied, and urging comrades in that the railwaymen ought to of the revolution. They were any country where there had been share in management, and it is prepared to wok longer any abuse of the eight bours to our intention to hold the Govern- hours only if sociolisation use their industrial power in ment to that promise, and to was introduced. Wages in order to bring about its introduce-

> CHINESE EASTERN POLICE. A Peking report states: -The Official Gazette announces that. with the exception of the railway guards, the police within the Chinese Eastern Railway area are to be directly controlled by

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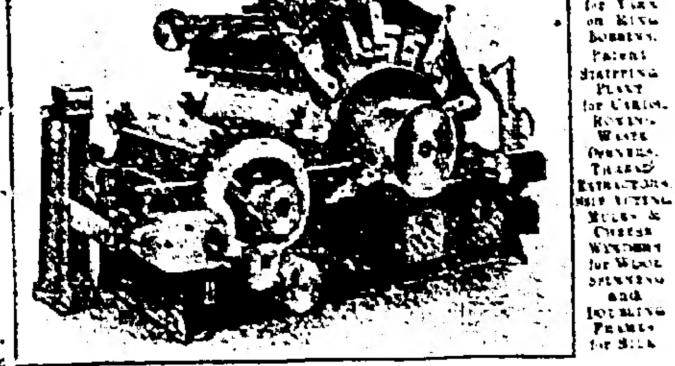
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#### How the Industrial System May Recover.

Before the war Europe supported a larger population than she could have fed from her own produce by exporting finished goods, by the interest on her overseas loans and the payment

for her services. The war has decreased or destroyed the last two sources of income and replaced them by claims for interest on war loans. which means that henceforth she must export more than she J imports instead of being able to do the reverse as she did in 1913. Moreover, the supply of finished goods with which she bought next she can get these essentials she

year's food and raw materials no longer exists. Unless, however. cannot restart, her industrial system, and having no goods to give she can only offer paper money. This being only of use if foreigners can exchange it for goods, has continued to depreciate steadily since peace was made, as there are not the goods, writes at economic specialist in the Daily

In short, the position, after two years peace, is, as shown by the rates of exchange, far worse than in 1918. Therefore, Europe is slowly drifting into a state of rankruptcy, which means that ultimately she will no longer be able to buy the bare necessities of life. When that happens the whole system must collapse. What that means is shown by the condition of affairs Russia, a country, which, being mainly agricultural, should have been able to feed itself if any

European country could. CIVILISATION IN DANGER. The possibility of such catastrophe is so terrible that so far no one has dared to suggest it, but the writers feel that unless people realise where they are drifting no efforts to avert it wil be made till it is too late. They do not say that even now it is impossible to save Europe though it will be no easy task, but they do say, if things are allowed to drift for another two or three yearn it will be too late then. It is certainly possible to save Great Britain to-day; by then it may

be too late. wanting other indications that materials-for example, Poland trial system. In time a better a certain amount of moral policy. our civilisation is in danger. We and Russia. can only tabulate these briefly. sation has been approaching its pen? Briefly it will be im. Meanwhile, the wise man-uses But those who think deeply must trade in competition with those appeared.

meant. The failing influence of to an agricultural race, with but the old one breaks down com must produce at least as cheaply working day, on an average, is decaying civilisation.

many Continental countries, and Empire with vast empty spaces, only emphasise the more the fact with lands which can produce the that Great Britain is still health- food and raw materials we shall ier than the Continent.

tinent goes from bad 'to worse, we can harter with the more we find it increasingly difficult to primitive peoples of Europe. sell our goods. We, above all Our industries will dwindle

will starre. Daily News" on Nov. 25.

consider seriously what we shall bound to continue.

ing, and begin to prepare alterna. ruled. In the 16th century it want. . . The checking of is part of a general attempt tive plans.

gradually things will right them. where America and Australia face wise, tends inevitably to keep up views. In the last few weeks selves, and the first thing to be China and Japan. Look at the high prices, and still further there has been considerable done is for every Government at rates of exchange of Japan and reduce our rate of exchange. | activity on the part of the extrahome or abroad to reduce its the U.S.A., if this possibility "The ca canny practice is a miste, who have called into expenditure to the very lowest seems fantastic. that is possible, even if this entails the abandonment of But it takes time to move ports; moreover, it deteriorates movement for the removal of desirable social schemes or valu millions of men, and if the in- the character of every man who what are called "dead-head" able military positions. We dostrial system is breaking down, does intentic ally less than he officials—that is, men who are

simply cannot afford them. are so badly depreciated. We in here and now. Great Britain must open up new -It is usaless to imagine the longest possible time. markets, if necessary, by means our Guildeman will straigtway. This is only natural, and I tion its aim is to get rid of the of barter, particularly with coun- become a saint. He will be fully sympathise with those who leaders responsible for the recent tries other than the U.S.A., from be exactly the same man who at are misled by what, to them, is settlement, and to replace them which we can get food or raw present forms part of the indus- an honest conviction. It requires by men in favour of the militant

end similar indications have possible to traceport the excessive the material be has to hand, and realise that, in the face of foreign countries where the working

the orthodox (aiths, love of luxury | simple industries and no elaborate | pletely? and extravagance at a time when industrial system. Do not think But still, perhaps, this appears lible, more cheeply. tens of thousands are suffering that this picture is too highly a nightmare draw. What if, The trade is going to those industry. The energy of the from want; a spirit of lawless coloured. Five years ago, would after all, it is but the darkness countries where the costs of pro- Belgians is resulting in their violence, coupled with a strange you have thought it possible that before the dawn of better things? duction are lowest. Now, while being sale to undersell this apathy on the part of a large Russis would have reached the Rightmans or vision of the dawn, this country has no wish to go country. Only this week I cannot appear of a large Russis would have reached the Rightmans or vision of the dawn, this country has no wish to go country. section of the community are conditionshe is in to-day? Russia, take your choice, but look at the back upon the shortening of the account of the community are conditionshe is in to-day? Russia, take your choice, but look at the back upon the shortening of the account of the community are characteristic indications of a remember, represents one quarter writing on the wall and sak working hours, in accordance bars being purchased by a British of the earth's surface. As we which country follows Russia, with public opinion, we shall have firm at the part ton below

we find that the exchanges fall consistently. On Nov. 30 France was 57.80 france to the £, Italy 95.50, Gormany 250, Austria 1,175, Poland 1,750, Hungary not quoted, Russia --- ! And on the frontiers of Poland gather a pack of starying man looking hungrily

Westward. What is the alternative to the present system if it does not recover? It is not Bolshevism. That is the last resort of desperale, starving men. It may come when the last agony of dissolution is upon Europe, but it cannot | to-organise and feed the present large population. It has already appeared sporadically in Hungary. Germany, and lialy. It

has been deiven undergroundperhaps-but only for a time. If you want to prevent Bolshevism. see that the people are well fed. That, however, is just what we are unable to do in many parts Europe. The machine that did is broken by the war, it is still freely rotating, but each month it moves slower and with more difficulty.

If we cannot save Europe, can we at least save ourselves? Yes! if we prepare in time, Great Britain can be saved, but

we knew and loved before the war. With our Continental markets gone, and our export trade crippled, we shall not be able to support our present I population.

OUR STRENGTH.

A drastic land policy would settle on the countryside millions who are now congregated into industrial areas. Millions would have to emigrate to our Oversea Dominions and Colonies. Herein 4 are not nearly so marked as in lies our strength. We are an still need, and supply us with As the situation on the Con- the simple things of life, which

countries, are dependent on our but our geographical postion will export trade, and it is poor con- enable us to remain a great solation for us to know that Am- seafaring and merchant race. erica is suffering in proportion. As the last outpost of the ineven more severely in her export dustrial west (by then the U.S.A.), trade, from the same case. Am. we can still carry the mer erica can feed herself still, chandise of those countries which whereas we cannot. To her, ex cluster found the Pacific to those ternal trade is almost a luxury, who dwell in Russia and barter to us it an absolute necessity, them for the minerals and raw Without it, half our population materials they are prepared

But it will be a smaller England Already we are witnessing the with probably less than half its SIR A. YARROW AND "CA" gradual closing of our Con- present population and perhaps a tinental markets, and almost a humbler member of the British panic among our manufacturers Empire than it is to-day. Dono: at the possibility of being under. let us suppose that we can consold in the home markets by the tinue indefinitely to export huge Continent, but this aspect of the quantities of manufactured goods | Sir Alfred Yarrow contributes | Following on recent utterances

shifted to the Atlantic. What if industries through strikes, the to drive out of the Labour move-If Europe can be saved, then it is again moving to the Pacific, limitation of output and other- mentall leaders holding moderate

EVOLVE BY DEGREES.

what will take its place? State can. I canquite understand how not prepared to toe the 'red'. Every country must not merely Socialism cannot, for it presup- it is that the 'ca' canny system line and at the same time to increase production, but see that poses a huge industrial machine, has become almost an article of work for the adoption of extreme the goods made are exchanged for Perhaps the Guild Socialists faith. If a body of artisans are policies. This organisation, which the things they must have. It is have seen a vision of the ultimate that their job is drawing to a has some of the features of a no use filling warehouses with solution, but, if so, they must close and there is nothing to foll- secret society, is now at work in goods which our neighbours can descend from the clouds and low, one cannot be surprised that the Miners Federation, the not buy because their exchanges begin to construct their system they wish to spin the work out National Union of Railwaymen,

millions in Europe overseas in truth the average Briton, competition, by spinning the hours are longer and the wages They include a marked laxity What will happen to them is what despite hise faults, is still the work out and making it cost more, lower. As regards shipbuilding, in the morals and an open has happened in Russia, and to- cream of the earth. In short, they are sacrificing their future few orders will come our way, as challenge to the established moral day is happening in Poland and why not begin to build the new prosperity for the sake of a purchasers cannot afford the prosystem to-day, so that it is a temporary gain, because to obtain sent high prices. to Motherhood" shows what is Those who survive will revert running machine by the time orders it is itself evident that we In Belgium, for example, the

Though these vices are notice. move Elaiward from the Bay of and the suswer is given to you to face very serious issues in our the home price; this is only on able in Great Britain to day they Biscay wi the frontiers of Russis, by the rates of Exchange.

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LABOUR AND ITS LEADERS:

Extremists' Move Against Moderates.

case was dealt with in "The to Australia, Canada, or even to Yarrow's Magazine, which is by Mr. W. A. Appleton in resign-South Africa. During the war published quarterly for circulas ing the presidency of the Inter-Unless the decline on the these countries have been de-tion among his firm's workers on national Trade Union Federation, Continent is stopped, this strang- veloping their own manufactures the Clyde, an article entitled action has been taken by the ling of our industries will con near the spot where they produce "High Prices," in which he extremists whose activity in the tinue, and it behaves us now to raw materials. This process is emphasises the danger of the movement he so freely criticised, Has it ever struck you how the The Prime Minister's promise correspondent) that at the next is no need for panic, but centre of industry, commerce and of better times," he says, "can meeting of the Management, that is far less likely than apathy civilisation has shifted ever west-only be a forlorn hope unless the Committee of the General Federaand contemptuous unbelief till the ward? In classical days, the whole nation put their shoulder tion of Trade Unions a motion crisis is on us. By then it will Mediterranean was the centre, in to the wheel, in order to increase will be tabled calling fordismissal be too late. Rather let us take the Middle Ages it was the Baltic, the quantity of goods we can failing resignation. This move such, a possibility in our reckon. where the Hansestic League supply in exchange for those we is not an insolated one, but

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3 p.m. - Indian v Oilers, Navy

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(Continued from Page 1)

In conclusion. I desire, to hank Your Excellency for honouring us by consenting to distribute these prizes. I desire also to thank those who have so generously contributed to the Prize Fund, the visitors for their attendance and the Staff for their loyal support during the year.

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By order of the Committee. G. MISKIN.

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Hongkong, 2nd February, 1921.

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onding 31st December 1920. The TRANSFER BOOKS of from the Hith February to the clusive), during which period no! Transfer of Shares can be Registered.

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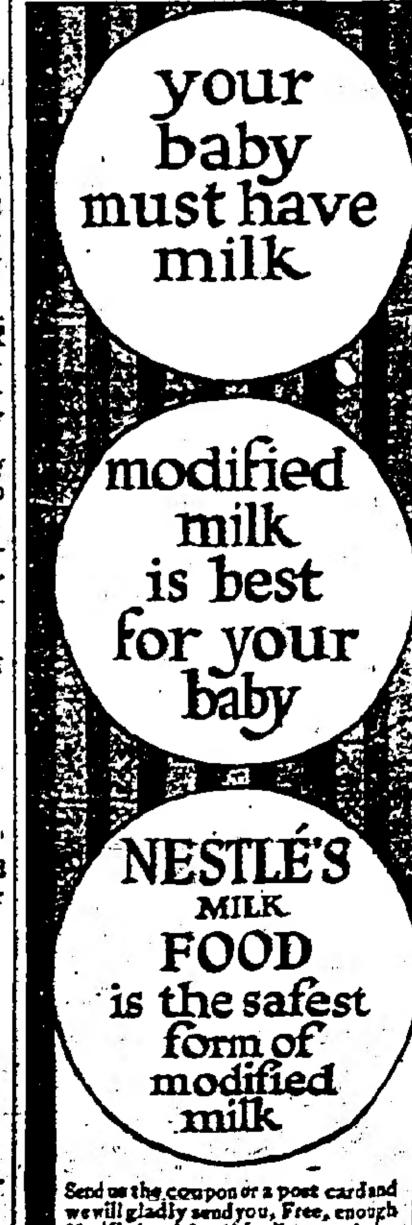
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been rapidly faling away states [1934, 1938, 1911 and 1914. the Patisburgh correspondent off. The steel it dustry has yet to

The new prediction, which is affort full employment to the course of the readjustment, which | Since 1916 there has not been full his likely to require many months operation. In both 1917 and 1918 instead of only a few, the indeed there were deficulties in rad pen lents will go considerably transportation and some shorting reduce its prices in time.

the preliction that the steel of September 22, 1919, the roal market would find its level at the strike and then the radrud-Steel Corporation or Industrial transless Hourd schelule of prices was! Just as rell transportation conthat it was made so generally dimonswere becoming moderately that consumers might come to satisfactory, a couple mouths ago a logit the view and act on it by shortagepforders began to appear support the market. That was condition is rapidly spreading. the puly argument. In the Obviously it is no small matter to e missy of a competitive market that employment for the steel the natural v melusion would be industry, with its 52,000,000 or that the Steel Corporation price Jalie begins tons ingot expanity. would be the one prize of all at There was no calendar year which the in lependant should between 1936 and 1916 in which

PRIMES AND COSTS. could secure prices higher than the Seel Corporation prive they enter to secure the business.

operation. The corporation has punding shipment. advances occurred August 26.

equalite the increase due to market for several weeks, there the freight advances before a real has been little, if any, decline in building that, by the user of the case would be presented for the the quotable markethin the past steel itself. corporation lowering its general week. schedule of prices on account of , One thing has been made also- ever, feel that the later of the be required for the process.

a very few weeks ago, that fresh stand. buying movement in pig iron and steel products, with a stiffening market, would occur by nixt April, has been practically abandoned. The change in view occurs not so much from what is seen within the iron and steel market as from what is seen on the outside. The iron and smel inclustry stood in a class by itself. in having such momentum as to be operating fairly well when

LESSONS FROM "OUTSIDE."

business and conomic conditions. generally, it r. alizes that the procoas will require a considerable period of time. Without general industrial activity, the iron and steel injustry itself cannot expeet to be active.

Predictions are now being made The pradiction that prices of in somequarters that practically independent steel manufacturers the whole of 1921 will be one of twould recede to the Steel relative stagnation in iron and Corporation level in the present steel, that there will be one of realjustment, and the whole those "off years" for which the steel market would be stabilised steel industry has distinguished or equalised on that level, has itself, recent illustrations being

the No Vert Stenies Polishow whether peace times will gaining and may soon by the loapacity as increased by about common prediction, is that in the [5] per cent. during the "war, below the Steel Corporation prices of labour. In the fore part of 1919 and the corporation will itself there was a shartage of or lere. Afterwards, in immeliate success The analy argument in favour of sion, came the iron and steel strike

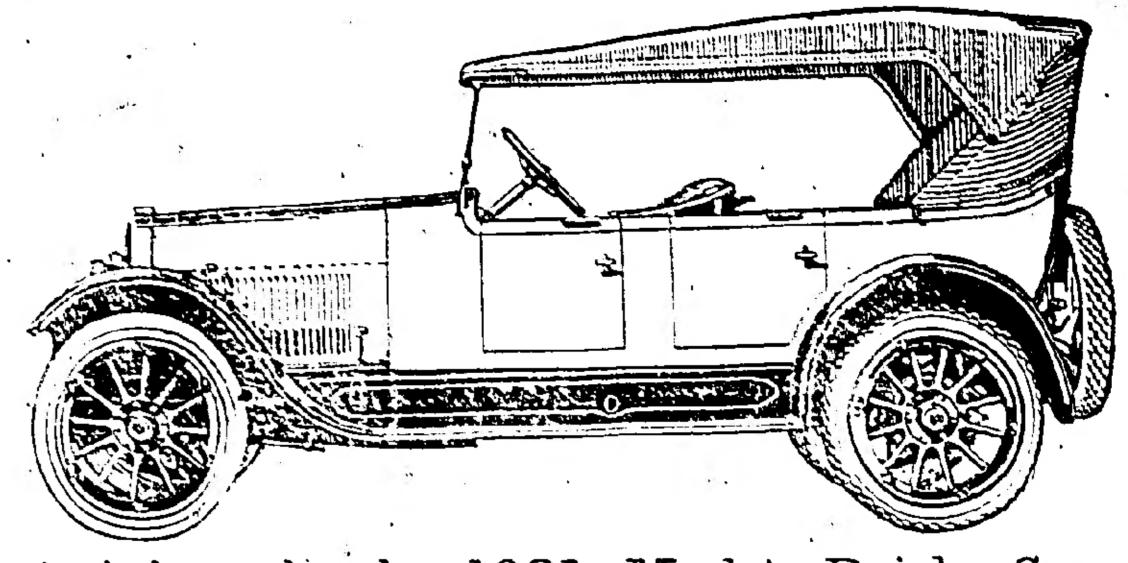
planting or live which would with not a few mills, and this there was fall employment throughout the year, and in 1966 could secure prices higher than 23, demonstrate,

WHY INDEPENDENT STEEL would lose. When they could PRICES ARE DECLINING SLOWLY. not get a premium above the The same correspondent states c ry ration price the market that it is difficult to determine would be in such condition that just how much resistance the they ead I not get even that price. Independent steel producers are The figure would be what the making to the declining tendency traile commonly ralls "a prote to in prices caused by the lightness at at Each competition for of demand. There is so little ... ... the would endeavour to inquiry that not much opportunity grees, the am runt by which he we afforded for competition. There would have to shade the price in his been a fresh ron of cancellutions of contracts for finished As long us costs remain at any smeet products and of instructions thing like their powers level the to pastrice are uspend shipments. Signi Corporation will be quite in- | sort postponements being tanta-Har well to be lucy its prices, not in sunt to cancellations if continwant it have organism in the met long enough. The mills H. N. MATT. JAPAN PORTS neur inure introducells prices und merchie, are much more interarguant of competitive conditions. leated in protecting contract busi-The independents would reach ness on books than in an deavourthe point of having empty order ing to source leash business, for hooks long befor the Seel price cuting simply fundshes the PURTS a a SAN FR ANCISCO Comparation's order books failed customer an ariditional incentive to produce an economical rate of for cancelling contracts or post-

maintained its prices against adv- The majority of in lopendents The above named Steamer have ance in the past year, when the still name 3 cents a pound as ing armed the subject, the independents were securing their price for hars shares, and higher prices, on the ground that plates, and no prices below that its prices afforded satisfactory figure are being quoted openly or profile, but that was the position generally except perhaps by two before the heavy traight rate or three Western mills. Even it, sheets, in which there was Decreasing cost would have to a staidily and ripilly declining

reduced costs. If the readjust- lurally clear-that the independ- various wage advances it has ment in industry generally goes ents have no disposition to make made were in full equalization of as far as it is now expected it will. a stand at the Steel Corporation a very high living cost, and that the Steel Corporation's costs will prices so long that when the real as the living cost, comes down, as come down, but many months will decline occurs the Corporation it is fully expected it will some price will look no letter than any corresponding readjustments may The prediction, common only other price for making a firm be made downward. For several STEEL WORKERS' WAGES.

Wage reductions in the iron and steel industry in the course of time, though not in the very near fative, are by to means impossible. The same writer adds. The general attitude at the present time is that inflated wage rates are injuring the steel industry more by way of their making the cost of employment other industries were languishing, or unlikation unreasonably high than by way of making the cost of production unreasonable. In When the industry looks to the the building trades, in particular, outside, and sees how drastic a it is felt that buyers are deterred Hongkong, 28th January, 1921. Hongkong, 39th January, 1921, readjustment is being forced in more by the high wage cost of correspondingly.



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weeks there have been persistent. rumors that reductions in wage rates in the Connellsville coke región were contemplated. In a few quarters predictions are now being male that within three or four months slight reductions will be made in wage rates at blast furnaces and in steel milis.

One of the large independent steel producers in Onio, has addressed a statement to its employees that eventually wage reductions will be micessary, but states very positively that no reductions will be proposed until the cost of living has come, down

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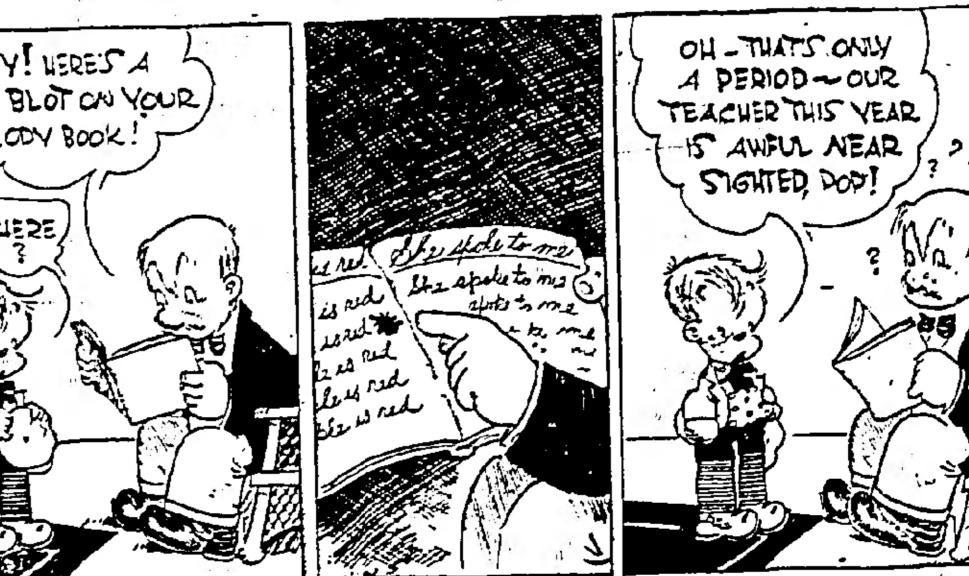
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#### SERVICE PAY GRIEVANCE.

which there are noted by complications. It is for ever cropping up, has announced that Sir Robert the Matistrate this morning, and being amended and re-amended with irritating frequency. First Ho Tung has donated a further that was that as he had secured one scheme is decided upon, then another, until in the end the man \$100,000 to the Engineering the job for himself without most concerned doesn't know now he stands or what he may expect Faculty of the University, bring- anyone's help, he was logically, to receive when pay-day next comes round. Some of the amend- his total dimations to this in- the only one who had any ments have been to his a transact other schemes have hit him badly, stitution to over a quarter of a claim to retaining so much so that occusionally be begins to wonder whether or not madition delians. With such public, appears, also that there the time will come when he will be paying the flowernment in stead spirited benefictors as this behind was another factoring this disturb-"of the Government paying him. At any rate, a good many Service it our Hongkorg University ing quarred. It is alleged that men will have to "shell out" quite substantial sums soon, in the should have an unchequered Sunda Singh has lost casts, on way of Income Pax from 1st April 1ast, if a recent decision by the career of prosperity before it. Board of Inlan! Hevenuy at Home is put into effect. That decision Safer Roads. supplies the reason of the faregoing observations and those that Seeing that we have not he-itate lies enemies harped on this pet follow. It has preated a chinic in lightation and consternation local- at to "strafe" our P.W. in for the ly, as well it mucht, in view of its import.

Board's decision. It is to the effort these plyments as compensation let us not be stow, also, independing out from duty. One for loss on exchange i there in the to officers and others -tationed seknowledging the fact that the man broke his stick-a in countries where the rate of exchange is unfavourable to Br. tain offending loose sant is being massive one -overSanda Singh's are liable to It tome. Tax and should be included in the assessments. swept of the greater portion of it | massive one - overcounts office are liable to It tome. Tax and should be included in the assessments. Inder this decision, the recipient's total assessable income will be During the week-end we noticed knocked out of his senses, he was reached by conversed into sterling at the current official rates of that workmen were cleaning up the victim of a fresh outburst of exchange of the gross total number of units actually issuable in some dangerous corners, and on hostility on the part of others, respect of encluments normally assessable to Income Tax. Most the Castle Peak-Fauling Road it who held him startling of all, the decision is to operate from 1st April fast year. was pleasing to had that the ground and pummelled The whole subject is, as we have stated, most complex, but in order manadamised surface was being him somewhat severely. Two The whole subject is, as we have stated into the state of Government servants, including Navy, Army and Civil Service, of a finished task. The improves who also ordered that they, toabroad whose pay is mainly fixed in sterling and who, until the ments just beyond Shatin are gether with Sunda Singh, be scheme was devised, suffered considerably by the fall in the value steadily going ahead, though the found over. of the sovereign. Lically, there were men when before the scheme with has been in hand for an was in operation, were getting about six dollars for their fof salary enormously long time. The generally understood, Captain and had the scheme not relieved them they would, at one time last present state of the road at this Harper, of the Naval Staff, had year, have received about \$5.50 only. Under the "Concession," point calls for very careful drive been instructed to prepare for the certain fixed sims (varying in the Navy, Army and Civil Service) ing. Another big improvement is guidance of the public. It is but of the sterling salaries are payable at two shillings to the being carried out on the hill from sufficiently clear, however, that dollar, and, where this sum does not cover the whole of the salary. Yaumati to the Shatin reservoir, our Fleet was victorious in the a proportion of the difference is also payable at that rate. Let us and when all these works are sense of compelling the enemy take the case of a Civil Servant (Admiralty official) in Hongkong, completed there will be one of the to retreat. So far so good. The and see how he stands at present and how the new decision will finest circular motor trips possible position leaves a number of affect him. As things are, we find, by an elaborate process of anywhere, a Our New Territories disquisting features. As helping reckonition, that, on a sterling pay of £500, and local allowances of are rich in magnificant scenery to account for the escape of your \$2,00% his total income with a 4 - dollar, would by \$6,166.66, which and we might well be proud of Scheer's ships we learn that the would be reduced by tax assessments to a net sum of \$5.727.91. the fact that we have brought vessels possessed speed decidedly Under the Inland Revenue Board's new decision, however, his net this within accessible distance by in excess of their nominal income would only be \$5,007.91, or a loss of \$720. Or let us take the the construction of good roads, rate of progression, and this case of a Naval Petty Officer on a pay of eight shillings Solong as our P.W.D. will keep evidently came as a surprise to a day (£145 a year) who did not pay tax. He has these roads safe, there will be our commanders. But before been receiving all his pay at two shillings to the dollar, or \$1,460. little indeed for motorists to disappearing, which the enemy This, for tax purposes under the new scheme, would be valued at grumble at. £292, so that he would be required to pay \$28.50 tax if a married Jutland. man or \$96 if single. We presume that the Inland Revenue argument would be expressed something like this that it has cost the Crown to pay a Civil Servant on £500 salary (plus \$2,000 allow- from London contain the much- efficiency, and when dusk drew ances) a sum of £1,233.33 and therefore he should pay tax on that debated Jutland despatches, on they demonstrated how admiramount. A similar line of reasoning would doubtless be taken in regard to other cases, but we consider it entirely unjust to put, this last month after several delays. was organised, in contrast to the fictitions value on the salary which a man receives and which he To be more exact, the journals indifferent arrangements of the has to spend as dollars, regardless of their exchange value. Naval contain notices of the despatches, British Fleet, as candidly admittand military officers and men in Hongkong are affected similarly to these, with accompanying mat- ed by Lord Jellicoe. These are a ter, filling a Blue-book of over 600 few of the points which the the Admiralty officials. the Admiralty officials.

ante-dated from 1st April last year, which will have the relocating the various documents sideration of the Admiralty. They result, unless it is quashed or modified, of most of those affected so as to extract from them the will come as a painful surprise to being without pay for at least a month in order to pay up arrears of essential festures of a highly many. It is our main tradition tax. It can easily be imagined, therefore, that very strong feeling technical issue must be no light in self-preservation that the Navy bas been aroused locally by this decision, which has probably been one. It is certainly to be is the shield of the Empire. The nas been aroused locally by this decision, which has probably been regretted, that the Government lessons of Jutland, none opines, the Brussels sprouts. They'd most popular foreign dramatic were not always pushed here, arrived at with little knowledge of its full effect in various parts of regretted, that the Government lessons of Jutland, none opines, the Brussels sprouts. They'd most popular foreign dramatic were not always pushed here, the Empire. For the sake of the men affected, we trust that every effort will be made to set aside the decision—if necessary, by the the narrative of this celebrated adequate attention on the part of matter being raised in Parliament.

#### NOTES & COMMENTS.

Helping the University. Scarcely sufficient public notice seems to have been given to the most interesting statement made at the recent Congregation of the

University that Mr. H. M. H. Nemazee has contributed a sum of \$100,000 to the funds of this institution. It seems to us as though February 15 and 16. Keep your only, a passing reference was eyes and the dates open. made to it and that that reference Chancellor was full of interest- Home by the "Kwaisang." ing explanation regarding the University's financial position and A meeting of the Royal Hong he very clearly pointed out that kong Golf Club was held in th although the Covernment had City Hall last night to discuss control of the financial matters The proposal was defeated by there still remained a great need very large majority. for private munificence in order to bring the work of the University The St. Andrew's Church the straightway announced that Kowloon, at 9 Gelock to-night. the Hon. Mr. Claud. Severn are confially invited. Mr. H. M. H. Nemazee had contributed a lakh of dollars in

highest commendation. An old by and respected resident of the the dislara University, financially personal possessions before the unembatrassed and able to affor i clames were well under way. an adequate and competent staff. To secure that desired growth requires maney, and those who WATCHMEN QUARREL. name forward now will be helping

to day the foundations of what promises to be a fitting seat of Mr. Nemazen has shown his faith Singh, who, however, held on to it

A particularly iniquitous point in the decision is that it is pages. Obviously, the task of cor- encounter indicated for the conreversed its decision to publish have engaged or are engaging naval engagement which, as the Imperial Defence Committee.

#### DAY BY DAY.

OCCASIONS DO NOT MAKE A MAN EITHER STRONG OR WEAK, BUT THEY SHOW WHAT HE IS.

There was a clean hill of health in the Colony yesterday.

"The Pharies" are coming, on

has already been forgotten. The Lieut. J. L. Jones, of the 22nd speech of the Acting Vice- Punjabis, returned from leave at

generously come to the in-proposal to admit ladies to the stitution's rescue and had taken Club as members or subscribers.

have a crusale launched in the "sing-song" to the Services and memoural to inflammation of the Repulse Bay Chief continues to being recorded on the sand. form of an appeal," he said, and Police in the Church Hall through the good offices of Members and intending members

A number of matsheds occupied aid of the fant. That is an by quarrymen at Quarry Point example which calls for the were last night destroyed Originating fire. largest Colony, Mr. Nemacce has now sheds, the flames were spread to secured for himself the thanks of the adjoining structures by the all who see in our University the high wind then prevailing. The promise of better things to come. | Fire Brigade were not in time It is still a young institution, has to prevent their total destruction, only yet learned to walk-not lowing to the great distance hefure having experienced one they had to negotiate in order to thasty tumble. But there is room reach the scene. The inmates. for a first-rate, well-equipped however, managed to rescue their

Sequel in Court.

The Indian watchmen con-British who ation in the Far fraternity are greatly agitated Elist. These who are foul of to-day in consequence of a split criticising our University tanil between two parties over the there are some who seem to dollurrativeness of one particular job so in vindictive spirit) might try which forms the bone of contritaken langer view of things, tention. This post, which is Helpful criticism is always value attached to the first floor of No. able, but there has been a good .4. Queen's Road Central, is at deal of actimonious talk lately, present held by one Sunda

in the institution in very tangible 'grimly in spite of the efforts form, and the thanks of all go made by others to ous: but to him for it. Since the above him from it. He had another The pay of the Services in Hongkong is a solders concerning was written, H.E. the Gavernor reason, also, as he explained to largount of the fact that he ate beef for pork or same other meat probibited on or the lox religious grounds. one-time dargerous condition of forces and made an attack on es well it muthit in view of its import.

First of all, let us getall the nature of the Inland Revenue the Kowlong-Castle Peak Royal light this morning as he was

fleet did not attempt to do for two hours, the German gunners gave The latest exchanges to hand unmistakable evidence of high which the Government published ably their night signalling system

#### THE RACES.

#### TRAINING NOTES & GALLOPS.

As was expected, Spoilt Child larynx, has not been entered for the! The Derby candidates are shap- | Tile and Misserimus Doleful are forthcoming Meeting. A curious ing out well and one can recom- attracting the attention of the fact is that his trainer has not mend a close perusal of the times early birds. been able to detect the cause of the being made by Invincible King, Regarding the Shaughai Horse pony's lameness, though trouble Coat of Arms, Dolphin, Harle- Bazaar Gritfins, Irish Stew, Field may arise from many causes, quin, Dollar Bill, Dandy Child Child, Blackspot. Phonacetin, such as rheumatism, sprains, and Fores: Child. But one King Harry, Shooting Star, etc. These are not easy to should not overlook Sir Paul's Meadow Meuse and Square discover, and Mr. Soares has candidates which are being Measure are much fancied by the thought it best to lay the ponyup. | trained "in the dark." It is rumoured that Mighty King Of the Larsen class, St. Antony John Johnstone's Irish Stew is (winner of last year's Champions) is still being admired. Last attracting the most attention. will not be able to start, due to Saturday this pony covered the For the first time during the rheumatism in the back, but it is mile-and-a-half in 3.40. Although present training season rain fell to be hoped that this fine pony the last quarter was 34 secs, the this morning, though not will be able to face the starter. It last mile in 2.18 and the mile-and- sufficiently to interfere with the is with much regret that we learn a quarter in 2.55 must be con- training. The grass track was

that Mr. Mozon's derby "Mootka" sidered a good performance. closed, all the times given below rumoured, to inflammation of the give no small satisfaction to his ! The times recorded are:-

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horse lawyers," though Mrs.

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#### TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

making, one might cite a useful simplification of "had I Berlin, and that will be followed the instances of two new not better." verbs which have recently come under observation. The Mr. Bernard Shaw, a German Mr. Shaw himself," says the one escaped from a gardener who theatrical paper tells us, is, with paper referred to, "it is to be weren't going to brussel," he re- berg fad," now years old, still commercially sound."

now brusselling very nicely, and craze" ruhs it very close. In the the cauliflowers were collying big German towns there is scanceequally well. The second verbal ly a night when a Shaw play is invention was used by a small not given. A new production of If proof were needed that the child who suggested, "I'd better "The Doctor's Dilemma" is on English language is still in the put my hat on now, bett'n't I?"- at the Deutsches Theater in

was looking with a critical eye at the exception of Strindberg, the wished that his weakest plays grown so big, I was afraid they author in Germany. The "Strind- though that may, of course, be

marked. However, they were holds its own, but the "Shaw

shortly by "Caesar and Cleopatra." "In the interests of

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BILLIARDS.

The Open Championship.

HO ROMATONO CUPS.

#### MOTOR NOTES.

More Useful Hints. Proper grip of the fan belt is! Playing in the open billiards as important in winter as in Championship of the Colony at connect the belt in winter, incur- | beat A. G. Pile 500-483. ring the possibility of over-! Orario's test breaks were 37.

heating the engineer a Dr. 2 mm. [31, 30, 30, 16, 11, and Pile's 26, 22, ] The smell of rubber boarding is almost a certain indication of a short elecuit. A hot wire resuses the rubber insulation to we dier. It can be detected by feeling all the wins. In this way the land

Oil in the crank case should be keptas pure as possible abail times during winter. If wateraccumulates there, it will freeze and wieck the pipe and pump. Some of the oil, therefore, should be drained off frequently.

tion of the short circuit can easily

be detected.

A cfack in the water janket or other past iron part can im repaired easily with the aid of a copper sulphater solution. Clean the edges of the crack with and | played last evening in the Garripaper or file. Paint the iron with son Sergeants' Mess, the home the copper sulphate solution or til team least the R.A.M.C. by a thin layer of copper is a mon game to mil. The scores were as it. On such a surface soft solder | follows :-will take easily.

Kerosene or gasoline should Q.M.S. Stanley never be used to clean a top. Mo- Sgn Major Catter hair tops are cleaned best by Sgt. Floyd dusting off and bushing briskly Sat Scouler ... with a stiff brush. Pantasote tops | S. Sgt. Horrocks are best cleaned with a soft brush dipped in water in which is a lit- Sgt. Wilkinson tle ammonia, after which the top | Sgt. Major Thompson should be rubbed dry.

Motorists should form the habit | S. Sgt. Mann ... of keeping their feet off the Set Hollands ... as possible. Resting the feet on made by S.M. Stroud. the pedals wears out the clutch collar, making it noisy, and may gerous curves will be designated alphabetical order :cause the brake todrag, wearing by yellow lights and railroad it out also. It is best to keep the crossings by red lights. The feet near the pedals ready for lighthouses will "wink," 45 times instant use.

The recent drop in prices of automobiles in America brings with it a drop in the revenues to look for, in the order mentioned. the Government from this source. For instance, the cut made by one popular Detroit concern, it is estimated, will cause a loss in taxes to the government of approximately \$7,890,000 a year.

There must be mariners in the Highway Commission of Wyoming, for they have adopted an instrument of the sea on their roads. It's the lighthouse. Dan-

AVIATION NOTES.

" ("By Meteorite".)

In May of this year, the first aeroplane mail service for China comes into operation, and a great deal of interest is caused in speculation, as to the probable success of the scheme. It will be useless to attempt at an opinion at this period, but if similar undettakings in other countries are taken as a criterion the hopes of its promoters will at least to some extent be justified by the large volume of traffic existing between the two principal points of the projected route-Peking and Shanhai. Large Handley Page machines are to be used for the service and I am authoritatively informed that should the first six months' of its existence be optimistic of future results the, mail service, which provides the ruson detre for its inauguration will be extended in other directions to the carriage of express and passengers. In order that the distance between these two points may be done with every comfort for the prospective passenger, intermediate stops will be provided at Tsinau Suchaw and Nankin.

In commection with the question raised in this column of the need of foreign companies exercising a control over the use of aeroplanes sold by them to the Chinese Government, the following from the Allegham will be found of interest: The contracts under which these machines. were untered provided, a scheme for the equipment of China for commercial aviations purposes and for the training of aviators, upon the condition that the machines and aircraft should not be used formilitary purposes. This condition was disregarded to some extent in the recent fighting, when some of the machines were used but not so any great extent. The British! Legation protested against this, partly to safeguard the British aviators, and also with regard to the violation of the written contract. Later General Chang Tso-lin gave orders that all the aircraft material at Feking was , to be transferred to Mukden, and troops were quartered at the airdrome barracks to enforce this. Some 30 airplants are now being transported together with the plane from the sheds. SIR ROBERT HO TUNG. summer Some models avendes the V.H.C. last night. F. Ozorio including the electric lighting!

> The decision errived at by Mr. Tomight J. Parkes meets C. Lim On to contribute 80 per cent. of his net receipts in the forthcoming\_flying exhibitions at Hap-The following were the results py Valley has been arrived at in of the matches played at the a discussion presided over by the i Palace Hotel last night in the Hon. Mr. Tau Chu-pak. As a T. B. Golding [ 3 not heat J. E. residents in the Colony who are the Governor said that there rethiving their support to the exhibi-Best breaks, Golding: 39, 35, tion which is promised to be ofin 36, 34, 22, 22, 23, 26, 29; Clapkam : remarkable character. It idecided that in view of the chin-G. Thomas (1960 heat R. chin joss pidgin which comes with the Chinese New Year, the College. The inscription on his To-night's games are :- o p.n... exhibition should be held on the left indicated to him that G. Haigh (1925) v. Sgr. Marshall Saturday following and not on [ 150]. 9 p.m., J. Taylor [ 150] the New Year Day as has been College from 1873 to 1888. previously mentioned.

> > the two months ending Nov. 27th. 1930, indicated that the number of passengers carried over the London Paris route was 4,130 and the weight of freight, 212,

> > > INTERPORT GOLF.

Next Week's Matches.

Secretary of the Royal Hongkong ing on him and asking his views length and breadth of China. It Golf Club, informs us that the in regard to the best use which has played a great part as a 105 Shanghai and Hongkong teams could be made of this sum nursery for supplying this great clutch and brake pedals as much The highest break (27) was in the coming interport golf for the benefit of the Republic with men of character match will be constituted as University. After consultation, and learning in all the walks of 4 follows, the names being given in Sir Robert then decided to devote life. From it has radiated schol-

a minute, and will be visible three W.P. Roberts.

T. W. Hill, R. M. Smith, A. B. of the Government, His Ex. ment. With reference to what Stewart and R.D.L. Wodehouse. cellency tendered their thanks Your Excellency was good enough The match will be played on to Sir Robert.—(Applause). Tuesday, the 8th inst., over The portrait was then unveiled to the Hongkong University. the old course at Fanling, be- by His Excellency.

Thursday.

NOTICE.

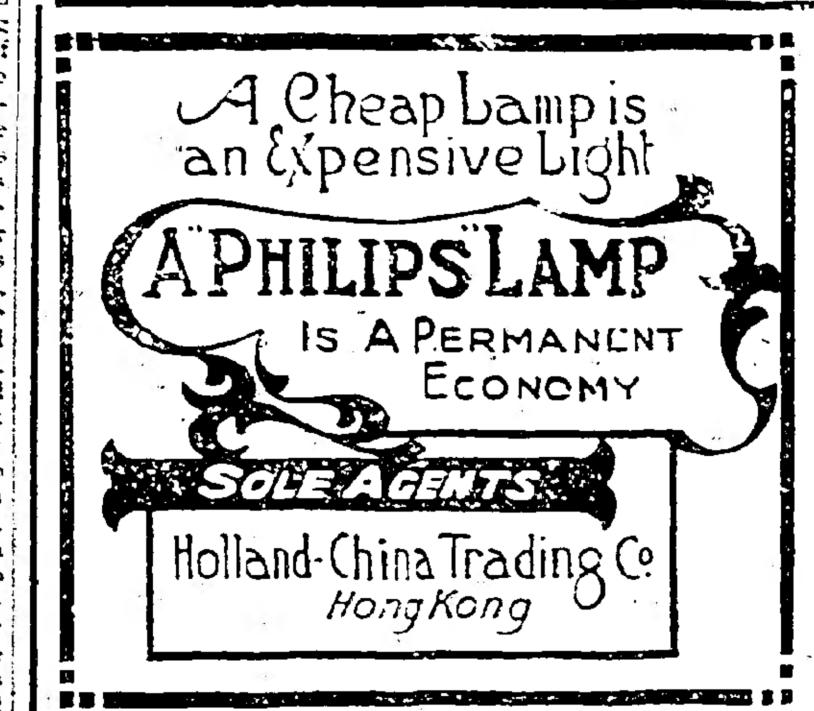
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At the conclusion of his speech this morning in connection with prize-givity function result, there are not a few Chinese | Queen's College, His Excellency mained for him one pleasurable duty to perform, and that was unveil the portrait Sir Robert Ho Turg, who was one of the old boys of Queen's Robert was a student of interest which he had given ito the school had

The Handley Page returns for amply demonstrated in many directions, one of which was his donation of an important scholarship. In addition to this. Sir Robert Lad greatly benefitted the University by his large donations, which in the past had to-day to make the announcement that Sir Robert had decided to present a further donation of lives sublime, \$100,000 to the University thus bringing his donation to Footprints in the sands of that institution to an aggregate time. of well over a quarter of a million | Queen's College has long | dollars. Sir Robert yesterday ago earned for itself the fame of

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among men so distinguished as rising generation.—(Applause).

THE L.R.C.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the members of the Ladies Recreation Club was held at noon to-day, under the presidency of Mr. H. A. Nisbet.

The Chairman read the minutes of the last meeting, and mentioned that the credit balance last year -tood, at \$554.64 against the balance of \$495.78 of the previous year. The Club was in a little! better position than the previous

Mrs. Maitland seconded the adoption of the teport and accounts for the year, which were [ approved unanimously by the !!

The following Committee were elected for the presenthyear: Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Niebet, Mrs. Ram. Mrs. Jordan, Mrs. Gompertz. Mrs. Bowen and Mrs. Everton. A vote thanks was accorded to Mr. Nisbet for presiding.

amounted to \$155,000. It gave the late Dr. Frederick Stewart His Excellency great pleasure Dr. Bateson Wright and others Whose life reminds us

That we, too, can make our

And, dring, leave behind us

Mr. L. S. Greenhill. Hon. paid him the compliment of call- a household name throughout the the sum towards the provision of lars to many of the Universities 14 Shanghai :- J. Dewar, J. B. workshops for the Engineering of the Old and New Worlds, until I Ferrier, W. J. Hawkings, Col. Faculty This had been to-day men graduated in the Marr Johnson, and the Rev. wanted for sometime and Sir liberal professions are occupying Robert's donation would put high positions in the land who basis, owe their early education to this Hongkong:-Major Bagnall, On behalf of the University and institution of the British Governto say as to my recent donation

I deem it an honour tween teams of five, the best Sir Robert replied as follows: - that it has been my privilege to three scores of each side to count, Your Excellency Ladies and have been able to assist an over 36 holes medal play. They Gentlemen.—I thank your Ex- institution so closely identified 6. Circulation stopped, due play for the Challenge Cup. | cellency very heartily for the with the Government of Hong-Three of the Shanghai players kind remarks you have made kong. It is a source of no little ing or some stopped up were expected to-day by the concerning me. I deem it a very gratification to me that I have Chenan and the other two by the high honour that my portrait been able to do a little towards Cylinders heavily car- Suwa Maru which is expected on finds a place in my old school helping the education of the

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SNOWY DEFINER IMIT TES

. Everylody knows that English-DUTCH CAR. The hat with winter ostelch women fancy large hats. And tumbling backward may be that hat in time cases out of ten suggestive of the Datch house has an estrict feather. The Barwife's immagniate cap-bit it is lish woman, moreoverknows what a hat dec helle funsion took she is doing for the big graceful Only a French milliner could be suits the English type of face have originated the effect and to a T. The big hat with soft have reproduced the starched plumes makes an enchanting stiff lines of the Dutch headdress frame for such a face-a much so sofily and becomingly-in better frame than the rakish. ostrich. The hat itself is small, saucy, pert French hat. dipping down at either side over. The gay little chapeau pictured the ears and having a curled is of panne velvet-just panne back brim in front. This little velvet and paradise, but very hat, made of pink faille chic! The large hatthat suggests silk is almost echipsed by the the English style is of taupe luxuriant growth of ostrich that velvet, with uncurled ostrich in sprouts behind the tiny brim and the same shade. The brim rolls falls back thickly over the crown, back at the front and the arrangethe white feathers tumbling over ment of the feathers is very at either side almost to the graceful, over and under the brim shoulder. At the edge of the and curling downward at one brim is a jaweled band trimming side. with pink cabuchons held together by strings of cut steel beads. A rear view of the hat. It is really impossible to overonly white ostrich, emphasize the popularity of trailtumbling over a bow of pink ing trimmings on hats. If the velvet ribbon set across the back French milliners do not "trail" where the hat snuggles close to feathersdownward, they use trailing ribbons or scarf ends. Maria the bair.

CCQ HATS IN SUMPTUOUS COLOURS.

turban is covered with black jet Two widely contrasting types and a scarf of black Georgette are presented in the tall, draped draped around the brim, is velvet hat and the snuggling- caught at on one side with a down coq affair which represent jet barette, loose ends falling the Spanish and Italian members to the shoulder. Another hat of the League in the millinery from Lewis, is of white grebe in realm. Both of these models are round turban shape. At the left street bats, as the pink and white side springs out an abrupt how of

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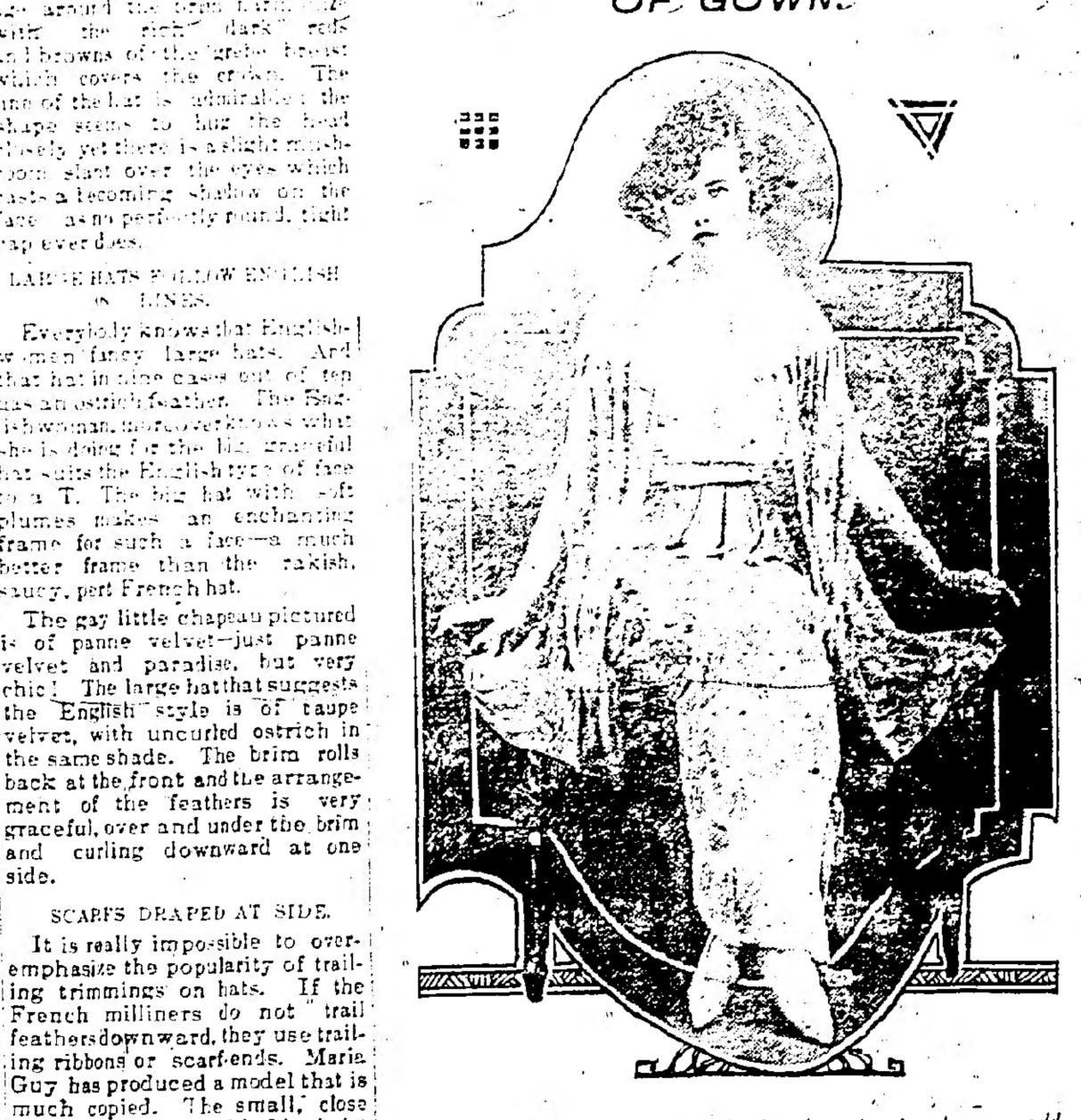
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in the millinery League of Nations, one is sure, for at a little Very small hats of black velvet, discarce the wearer of this petite

> LACE CAPE. FEATURE OF GOWN.



The youn pictured above is of relvet brocade that has an odd, very felching lace cape-bodice. The lace was obviously chosen to match as nearly as possible the pattern of the brocade." The cane is made with a yoke of the lace appliqued to a foundation of silk For the rest of the cape, the lace is unlined and falls straight down from the shoulders in a coat effect.

HATS.

How to Wear Them.

To put on your hat, you begin all the interest the cesseary. This within what's on the top of the furban seems to be harless—with at the back. You gainer the chignon into the crown, and slowly bring down the brim in front taking care to pall the hair in from: 6: the ears, with not a hair out of place. Above all least not in millinery.

brown, or gilded.

biz drooping bows. to the popularity of the glycerina effect. ostrich; the more drab and At first these prints were used forlorn it looks the smarter it is in gold and silver in all tones considered. The ostrich is dipped upon thin draping materials. into sticky glycerine or varnished, such as mousseline, de soie or and some are gilded or silvered. Georgette crepe, for tea-gowns

BRACELETS.

At dance teas I have seen fascinating little bracelets for the cotton. She even executes ther upper arm, writes I.V. W., from from Paris to the London Even- the linings of the long fur coats ing News, made, of black velvet and wraps this is most effective. ribbon. The ribbon is passed round the arm and tied in a loose bow, in the middle of which an antique, quite small brooch is placed. Upper arm bracelets are more fashionable than ever, and paper, embroidery houses are they are practical as well as turning to South-Eastern Europe, ornamental, for whenshort sleeves | Egypt, India. Africa, and China. are worn in the afternoon some- An excessively ornate, colourful thing is needed to break the Oriental spirit pervades many of bareness of the arms. Long our frocks, and intrudes itself gloves are dreadfully expensive, even into the severity of the and it is not everyone who cares tailor-made in some form or all sorts and conditions.

EMBROIDERY'S RIVAL

New Method of Colour Printing.

things, avoid an upward tilt to the Although embroidery trimbrim in-front. And remembanis mings of gowns were to have is not decent at the moment in met with great opposition among show more than oneers, and one the couturiers at the beginning eighth of an inch of forehead. Be of the season, they seem more sure there is method in this popular than ever. Probably madness, but symbolism needs this is because there are puzzling out for oneself. There practically no other ways of is no text-book to it so far; at trimming a perfectly plain gown. So embroidery holds its own-A feature of the new season's But now, as it is so expensive, it hats is that they may be bright has a new rival. This is the gown in colour when worn with a dark that is printed with designs in coat or tailor-made, and they may gold or silver or any other metal. also be discreetly black and be mixed with all colours. It is a trimmed with feathers - black, method that dates from old Ezyptiandays, and has been resuscitate Feathers and flowers are taking ed by some painters, who found their proper places, and crepe-de that, since the war, their picchine is being extensively used in tures did not sell so well, and so have turned their talents to de-The modistes say they are using corative art. The Salon more ostrich, both curled and d'Automne has shown numerous straight, for the winter trimmings exhibits of this style of work. It than have been seen for many is also used for decorating curyears. There seems to be no end tains and cushions with excellent

and rest-robes. But Jane Germain has gone further, and now uses stampings of indelible colour on all woollen materials. as well as on silk, velvet, and designs upon silk jerseys. For

ORIENTAL COLOURS.

For inspiration says a Paris to wear lace mittens. Hence the other, but finds its best expression present vogue for bracelets-of in the matter of evening wraps, trest gowns, and so on.

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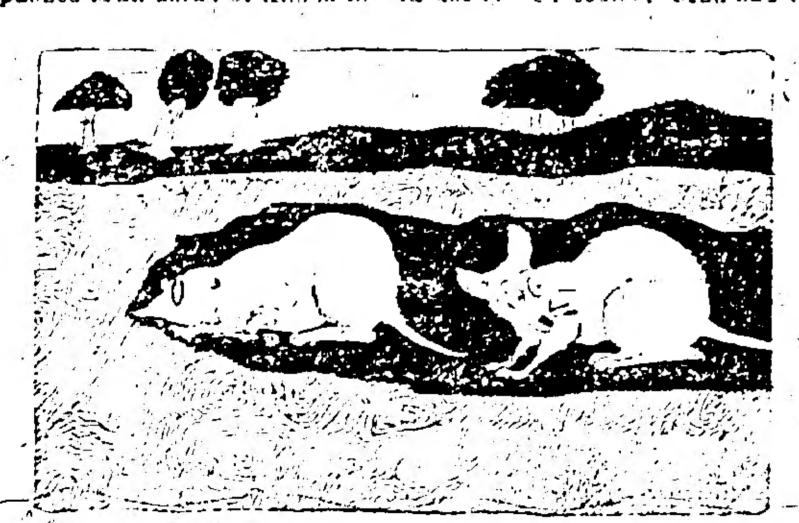
#### LITTLE FOLKS' CORNER.

#### ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS.

#### THE RUNAWAYS.

Muffy Mole and Floppy Field-Mouse stood still and listened after they had slid down the hole in the schoolhouse floor, but their! hearts were hammering so they could scarcely hear a thing. But they did make out Mr. Scribble Scratch's voice saying to look down the hole, and they almost fainted with fright; but instantly Markie Mushrat declared that the runaways couldn't have gone that way. as there was a spider web completely over it. So little Sarah Anni Spider had kept her word after all! They began to breathe more easily then.

Come on," whispered Flog. "Let's get out of this!" And he pushed Muff ahead of him in the darkness. Of course, Muff had to



So along they trudged through the darkness.

go first, for they soon came to the and of the passage, and it was necessary to do more dizging to get to safety. Flop couldn't dig worth a cent, but Muff was very good at it. He worked hard and fast but not fast enough for the anxious truant behind him. "Oh. hurry up!" cried Flop, giving bim a push.

best I can. Why don't you dig your own hole." I would but I can't," answered Flop more politely.

So along they trudeed through the darkness. Muff shoving the dirt out of the road and Floo keeping an eye behind them for danger. Everything was going finely, and in another minute Fine would SOAPS for keeping everything clean in Houses. have broken through the top crust into the sanlight and off into his beloved corn patch, when Maff suddenly stopped. There was a sound cordially invited. ef nibbling and a gulp. "My, that was a good one," he remarked

macking his lips. What's the matter and what was a good one? " peeved Flop.

Earthworm," answered Muff. Oh, go on, I can't get out here," urged the mouse-boy.

(To be continued to-morrow.)

#### RIFLE LEAGUE.

Hawkins v. Wilts. B. The following is the result of a League match between the H.M.S. [ Reservoirs on Jan. 1, 1921. Hawkins and Wills. Il Company Offy AND HILL DISTRICT WATER fired at Stonecutters Range on yielding a win for H.M.S. Hawkins by 148 points: Tream ----

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Last Night's Sucress.

The Dennis'on Players last night presented to a good flours "The Co-respondent", a play with complicated situations. The story concerns a divorce in which a pressman prominently figures. In the tile role " of Anne Gray " was Miss Warda Howard, and she gave a clever rendering of the author's lines. Mr. Leo Kennedy as the Editor of The News of New York, with whom Anne Gray is in love, acted with finish, being most natural in his part. . Mr. Reginald Wykeman, Mr. Reynolds Denniston and Miss Shirley Huxley had roles that fitted them to a nicety. The play was

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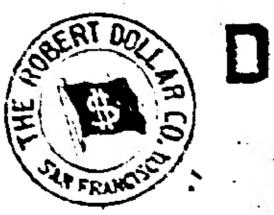
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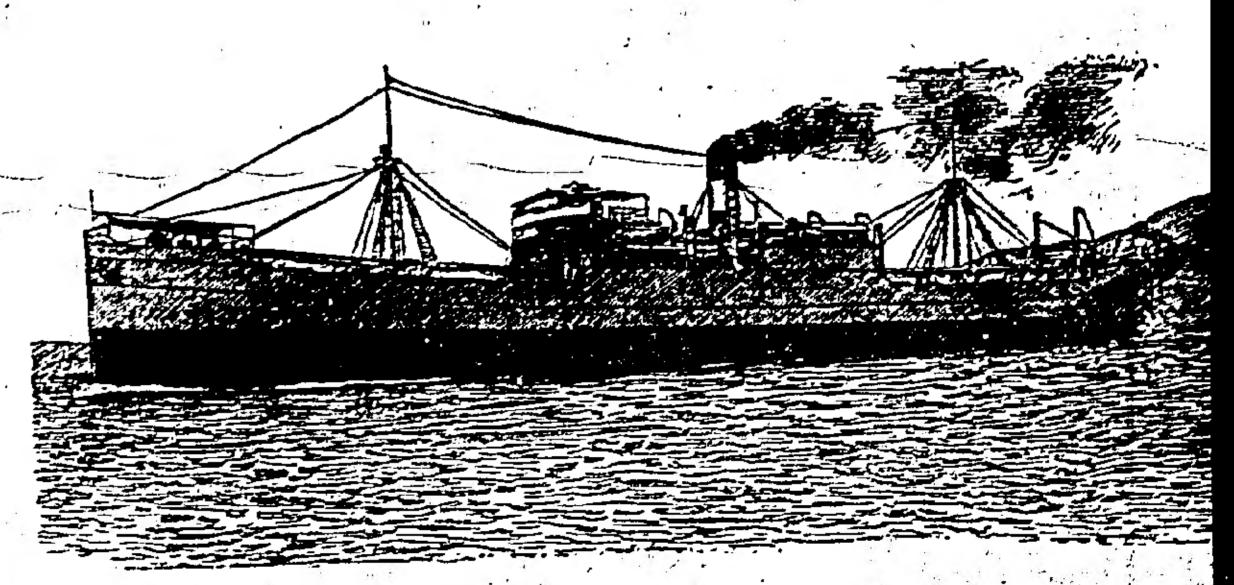
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The N. Y. R. S.S. WAKASA M. (Liverpool Line) left Liverpool for this port via Suez on the 22nd January and is expected here on the 3rd March.

The s.s. LAHORE left Singapore for this Port on the 25th instant at noon and is due here on the 3rd Feb. at about 6 a.m.

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The N. Y. K. s.s. TANGO M. Hongkong via ports on the 26th the 14th February.

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#### BUNGALOW CASE.

#### Action Regarding Ho Mun Tin Property.

In the Summary Court, th 's anorning, before Mr. Justice J. R Wood, Rev. Father A. Henriques sued Mr. George Thoedore Lam for \$205 as damages for wrongfully removing the support of the soil of his bungalows at Ho Man Tip and omitting to share up or otherwise secure the plaint. compound and boundary walls. As a result, the plaintiff's walls and compound were damaged The defendant's property was contiguous to the plaintiff's It was alleged that boundary wall for a length of 60 foot had cracked and was leaning outwards slightly towards the defendant's building The defendant, to the increased atten times at the plaint recited, had erected within ten feet of the boundary walls a building, part of which within such ten feet extended to a the previous year. As will Shanghai-Per SUWA M., 3rd lower level than the inundations be seen iron the statement of the plaintiff's boundary walls. omitting, in breach of the Ordinance the giving him of due notice.

exparations on his land but denied that he made them adjacent to the land of the plaintiff without leaving proper support for the planniff's land or his compound Further donations of \$3,358.44. and boundary walls. The alleged clama . it was submitted, was not a meet by the act of the dufe and but from the nature, of the mitif's soil, which consist deposit to \$18,140.79. The £4,010. ect of tillings and from the weight on deposit was secured at an of the buildings in the defendant's average exchange of 5.0-7 16. and causing compression of The donation account of this the soil in the plaintiff's Fund is now closed. land. Further, the defendant -ubmitted that the damage was caused by the plaintiff's been made, the Rev. J. Kirk negligance in building the boundary wall next to the de- for his long overdue furfendant's lot, instead of allowing lough about the end of April. Amoy, Shanghai and N. China the foundation to project equally During the greater part of his on both sides. By reason of this absence the pastorate was ably Swatow, 'Straits & 'Bangkokfaulty construction, rain percolat- filled by the Rev. G. J. Williams. ing through the surface of the a former minister of the Church Swatow. & defendant's land caused the wall but now the Agent of the London

The defendant admitted making

also defendant's lot. her the plaintest, characterised the Church with ability and zeal and .- fence as a sort of double- his ministry was appreciated by harrelled one, principally where the paragraph in the defence brief periods in May and Decemsi sted that the damage was not ber, before and after the pasnamed by the act of the defendant torate of Mr. Williams, the hat aruse from the nature of the pulpit was acceptably filled maintiffa soil. Mr. Laceta mentioned that in 1913 : Rev. A. Bixter. Rev. J.S. Swatow. Amoy and Foodbow-Luthe, the architect, acting the Kunkle, Rev. T. W. Scholes and with in syndicate purchas. | Dr. T. W. Pearce, to shom the only marsh. It was admitted forward to several years of his if the land was purchased from helpful ministry. · Government with the stipula-

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#### UNION CHURCH.

### The Annual Report.

The applial report of Union Church to be presented at tonight's meeting of scatholders, from the lst February 1921. states, inter alia:-

Financial (General Account).-The Treasurer's statement shows that this your the excess of income over expenditure amounted to \$2,219,07, converting last year's deficiency into a credit of \$620.60 This satisfactory state of affairs has been largely brough: about by a generous effort on the part of the ladies of the Church to whom our best thanks, an offered, \$900, being hander over as proceeds of a sale of work held in the Spring, and also by the increase of \$605.17. in weekly offerings, due mainly the Sunday Services. Sent rents were well maintained, shewing Shanghai Per ICHASG, 3rd

excess of \$72.50, over repairs and renewals has been Per EURYPYLUS, 3rd Feb. kept down to a minimum, but Shanghai-Per DELTA, 4tb certain matters under this heading call for attention during the Europe via Suez (Letters only) coming year, e.g. the hymnbooks

in the pews. Three Quarter Century Fund. were received during the year. Japan & Shanghai-Per LISBON These were placed on sterling deposit, bringing the total amount Shanghai-Per SINKIANG, 14th invested and placed on fixed

Pastorate.-Suitable arrangeto settle on one side only, towards Missionary Society in Austra- Shangbai, N. China & Japan lasia. Mr. Williams devoted

the whole congregation. For apiece of land at Ho Mun Tin Committee wishes to acknowledge by leiding purposed. At that its indebtedness, Mr. Maconachie is it was partly hillside and has now returned and we look

Ladies' Committee. . The no that two or more houses Ladies Committee has continued suld be built on the whole of to take charge of the Church " land purchased. A lakh of flowers and its thanks are given shad to be spent, on build- to Mr. Green for gifts of flowers operations. It was the for six months. On March 23rd a within of the syndicate sile of work was held in the as some as the said murch Hall, as a result of Saigon-Per PHECM PENH. 5 , which \$9 10,000 was handed to the au should be divided by Mr (Church Treasurer, On April 13th Shanghai & North China-Per the into a nur ber of small and November 9th, Jumble Sales is on each of which-the ment wars full and there proceeds, spicits h as of the syndicate would build which amounted to £50, were The levelling and making of the sent to the National Orphan to commenced in May, 1914, and Homes of Stotland. The Ladies' was Snished in December, Committle undertook the decora-1915. The plaintiff in this cassified of the church for Harves' il some office in the Roman Thanksgiving and the fruit. a scholic Cathedral, and was, in flowers, and vegetables were . Trustee of it. The building afterwards given to the Military. erations on his lot comm to tell (livil, and Nethers de Hospitals

WHILEE OF JAPANESE POSTAL

SERVICE The Japanes - Communications Department contemplates commeniorating the 50th anniversary of the operation of the postal service in Japan this year, probably in April. Upon the supplemenvary Budget being rassed by the forthcoming Imperial Diet the authorities are expected to commence their preparations. Though it is not yet definitely decided, the Department is planning to con-Paramore, s.s. Hwahtih, from duct on the occasion a propaganda on a large scale for the encouragement of national ideas of savings West, c/o Yatyonlaw, from and postal insurance, together with granting tokens of recogni- Bangkok-Per KANCHOW, 11 Hopshing, Suhong Street, from | tion of long, service of the staff. It is also reported aerial mail Changyick Tunggek. from flights might be made in commemoration, and there will be public demonstrations of the conduct of postal business. "Concrete plans for the scheme will be form- Shanghai, N. China, Japan, ed early this year.

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#### INWARD MAILS.

accounts expenditure on London (Parcels only 22nd Dec.) Feb

> London 6th Jan. 1 -- Per TIERESIAS, 5th Feb. Japan-Per SANUKI M., 7th Feb.

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#### OUTWARD MAILS.

#### To-morrow.

ments for the Church having Shanghai, N. China & Japan -Fer MISHIMA M., 10 a.m. Maconachie was able to leave Shanghai, North China & Japan - Per LAHORE, 3 p.m.

> -Per YUNNAN, 1 p.m. Per LIANGCHOW, 11 a.m. Bangkok-Per

HUPEH, 5 p. to. -Per KASHGAR, 11 a.m. Mr. D. G. Lewis, who appeared himself to the interests of the Japan, Canada, United States, \*Central & South America. & Europe via Victoria -- Per PROTESILAU -. Reg. 1.45 p.m. Letters 2.30 p.m.

> Friday, 4th Feb. Swatow-Per HYDRANGEA.

331 p.m. Per HAICHING, II a.m. Philippine Islands-Per LOONG SANG, 2 p.m.

itraits, Bangkok, Caylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, S. Africa, In lie via Dhanushkodi. Egypt & Europe via Marseilles - Per DELTA. Reg. 5 p.m. 5th Saturday

Letters 8.30 a.m. The Parcel Mail will be closed on Friday, 4th Feb.

Saturday, 5th Feb.

at noon.

CHOYSANG, 5 p.m. Banggok, Cerlan. Mauritin-, L. Marques, S. Africa India via Dhanushkodi. Ezvot & Europevia Liverpool- Per AN 'HISES. Reg. 8,45 a.m. Lesters 10,30

Sunday, 6th Feb.

Shanghai & N. China-Per SUIYANG, 5 p.m. 'Swatow, 'Amov and Keelung -Per KAIJO M., 2 a.m.

Monday, 7th Feb. Shanghai and N. China-Per HANG SANG, 5 p.m. Shankhai & N. China-Per CHIP SHING, 2 p.m. \*Shanghai & \*North China-Per

SINKIANG, 5 p.m. Straits. Bangkok. Calcutta & Aden-Per KUMSANG.

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Tuesday, 8th Feb. 8.M.

Wednesday, 9th Feb. Hoibow & Haiphong-Per TAK-SANG, 9 a.m. Thursday, 10th Feb.

Canada, United States, C. & S. America & Europe via Vancouver-Per EM-PRESS OF RUSSIA, Reg. 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.

Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marquis, 3. Africa. India via Dhanushkodi. Egypt and Europe via Marsailles-Per KAGA M. Reg. 8.45 p.m. Litters 9.30

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